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An application was filed on February 11, 2002. However, since then applicant has not received the official Filing Receipt from the Patent Office regarding the application.

Inquiry is made as to when the Filing Receipt will be forthcoming.

Respectfully submitted,

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